## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title : Absorbent Article With Improved Fastening System

## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED 4/27/2009

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

The Director is hereby authorized to charge all required fees (including any extension of time fees) and to credit any overpayments in this and any concurrent or future correspondence to Deposit Account No. 16-2480.

In response to the Office Action of April 27, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks and reconsider the application.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Remarks begin on page 4.